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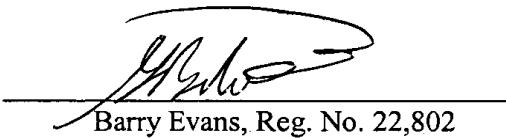
Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Final Official Action dated, March 26, 2002 (the "Final Official Action"), rejecting claims 37-51 and 53-93. The response to the Final Official Action is submitted herewith in the accompanying Amendment.

Under provision 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b), a check in the amount of \$160.00 to cover the required fee for a small entity is enclosed. Submitted herewith is a Petition for a Three (3) Months Extension of Time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 50-0540**. A duplicate copy of this notice is enclosed.

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